

PATENT APPLICATION
Do. No. 4164-81

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: John F. Acres

Serial No. 09/104,145

Examiner:

Y. G. Cherubin

Filed: June 23, 1998

Group Art Unit:

3713

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPLEMENTING IN VIDEO
A SECONDARY GAME RESPONSIVE TO PLAYER INTERACTION
WITH A PRIMARY GAME**

HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS
CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED
WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL
SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN
ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO:

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND
TRADEMARKS, WASHINGTON D.C. 20231

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR
PATENTS, WASHINGTON D.C. 20231

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR
TRADEMARKS 2900 CRYSTAL DRIVE
ARLINGTON, VA 22202-3513

ON: *June 6, 2001*
Brinley Ryan

Box Non Fee Amendment
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 10, 2001, enclosed is an amendment in the
above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

<u>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</u>					
For:	Number After Amendment	Previous Number	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	31-20	32-20*	0	x \$ 9 =	\$0
Independent Claims	4-3	4-3**	0	x \$40 =	\$0
Extension of Time - 2 nd					\$195
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$195

*greater of twenty (20) or number for which fee has been paid

**greater of three (3) or number for which fee has been paid

- Formal drawings (5 sheets) are enclosed.
- Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 CFR 1.27).
- Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response. The extension fee is included and a duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.
- A check for \$195.00 is enclosed.
- Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit account number 13-1703.

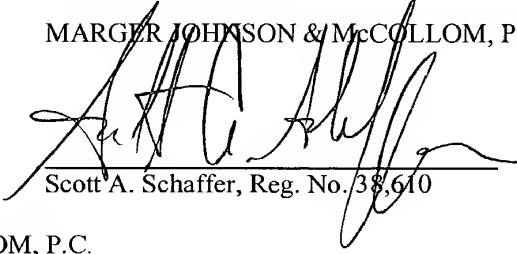
Respectfully submitted,

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